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SUBJECT: INVITATION TO MANAGEMENT DEVELOPMENT WORKSHOP

JOINT STATE/AID CABLE

1. THE SCIENTIFIC AND TECHNICAL RESEARCH COUNCIL OF TURKEY (TUBITAK) AND THE DENVER RESEARCH INSTITUTE, UNIVERSITY OF DENVER (DRI) WILL BE CO-HOSTS OF A MANAGEMENT DEVELOPMENT WORKSHOP INTENDED TO ASSIST INDUSTRIAL RESEARCH ORGANIZATIONS IN INCREASING EFFECTIVENESS OF THEIR LINKAGES WITH INDUSTRY. THE TWO-WEEK WORKSHOP WILL BE HELD IN ANKARA, TURKEY, COMMENCING 7 APRIL AND CONTINUING THROUGH 18 APRIL, 1975. PARTICIPATION WILL BE LIMITED TO DIRECTORS OR PRINCIPAL DEPUTY DIRECTORS FROM ORGANIZATIONS CONCERNED WITH INDUSTRIAL RESEARCH OR INDUSTRIAL FIRMS FROM IRAN, IRAQ, SAUDI ARABIA, KUWAIT, SUDAN, UNITED ARAB REPUBLIC, JORDAN, LEBANON, TUNISIA, LIBYA AND PAKISTAN PLUS DENVER RESEARCH INSTITUTE AND TUBITAK.

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2. THIS HIGH-LEVEL CONFERENCE WILL INVOLVE THE PARTICIPANTS IN A WELL-STRUCTURED SERIES OF PRESENTATIONS, CASE STUDIES AND DISCUSSIONS. THE WORKSHOP IS DESIGNED TO RESULT IN A HIGH LEVEL OF INTERCHANGE AMONG THE PARTICIPANTS, ALL OF WHOM WILL BE INDIVIDUALS OF APPRECIABLE ABILITY AND EXPERIENCE. PARTICIPANTS WILL BE EXPECTED TO JOIN

ACTIVELY IN THE TWO WEEK PROGRAM CONDUCTED IN ENGLISH, AND IT IS ANTICIPATED THAT EACH ATTENDEE WILL BENEFIT BOTH PROFESSIONALLY AND PERSONALLY.

3. THIS WORKSHOP IS UNDER THE SPONSORSHIP OF THE U.S. AGENCY FOR INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT AND THE TURKISH GOVERNMENT. WE WISH TO EXTEND THROUGH THE U.S./SAUDI ARABIA JOINT ECONOMIC COMMISSION AN INVITATION FOR SAUDI ARABIAN PARTICIPATION IN THE PROCEEDINGS.

4. WE UNDERSTAND YOU HAVE HAD PRELIMINARY NOTIFICATION OF THIS WORKSHOP FROM DR. RONALD BLACK OF DRI AND THAT YOU HAVE INDICATED THE INDUSTRIAL STUDIES AND DEVELOPMENT CENTER (ISDC) WOULD BE AN APPROPRIATE ORGANIZATION TO BE REPRESENTED. MR. BLACK HAS ALSO TALKED TO DR. S. SOLAIM, AND DR. ABDULAZIZ A. ALZAMIL, INDUSTRIAL STUDIES AND DEVELOPMENT CENTER. RELATED CORRESPONDENCE BEING POUCHED. THE DIRECTOR OR HIS DEPUTY WOULD BE WELCOMED. IN ADDITION, IF YOU WISH TO NOMINATE ONE INDUSTRIALIST AS A PARTICIPANT, THIS WOULD ALSO BE WELCOMED. TRAVEL AND LIVING EXPENSES FOR SAUDI PARTICIPANTS WILL BE THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE LOCAL INSTITUTIONS. THE NOMINATION, OR NOMINATIONS, SHOULD BE DIRECTED TO MR. SEDAT TOREL OF TUBITAK VIA CABLE AT YOUR EARLIEST CONVENIENCE, INDICATING THE ORGANIZATIONAL POSITION OF THE NOMINEE. (CABLE ADDRESS: TUBITAK ANKARA).

5. DRI AND TUBITAK HAVE CAREFULLY STRUCTURED THIS WORKSHOP PROGRAM TO AFFORD MAXIMUM BENEFIT AND OPPORTUNITY FOR EXCHANGE BETWEEN A LIMITED NUMBER OF PARTICIPANTS HAVING SIGNIFICANT RESPONSIBILITIES IN ORGANIZATIONS FOR INDUSTRIAL RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT. WE SINCERELY HOPE THAT A SAUDI ARABIAN REPRESENTATIVE WILL BE ABLE TO JOIN THIS GROUP AND CONTRIBUTE FROM YOUR COUNTRY'S CONSIDERABLE EXPERIENCE

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